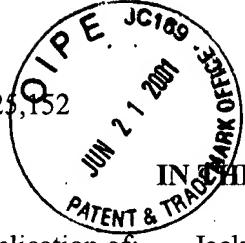


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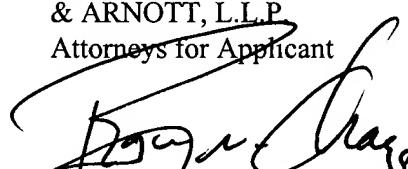
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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a), Applicant is taking his first extension of time to file a Response to the outstanding Office Action that was due on May 21, 2001. If any further extensions are required to maintain this application, they are hereby requested. The fee for the first extension of time is \$55.00, which is enclosed. Please charge any additional fees or deficiencies in fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 20-0780/DVSS-25,152 of HOWISON, CHAUZA, THOMA, HANDLEY & ARNOTT, L.L.P.

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